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TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 1. Fst Ex	No. 5. Mail.	No. 7. PacEx	No. 3. Nit Ex
Pittsburgh	145AM	600AM	910AM	330PM
Rochester	330	725	1025	537
Alliance	510	1040	110PM	708
Orrville	651	1230PM	301	706
Mansfield	855	318	509	911
Crestline { A	920	400	540	940
Crestline { D	940	555AM	600	950
Forest	1105	735	755	1118
Lima	1208PM	903	915	1217AM
Fort Wayne	220	1135	1250	235
Plymouth	445	325PM	955AM	505
Chicago	750	630	650	820

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	No. 4. Nit Ex	No. 2. Fst Ex	No. 6. PacEx	No. 8. Mail.
Chicago	920AM	930AM	830PM	515AM
Plymouth	1120PM	1020PM	935	915
Fort Wayne	400	300	1120	1220PM
Lima	640	407	1138AM	245
Forest	810	626	227	440
Crestline { A	1010	630	405	535
Crestline { D	1030AM	650	415	600AM
Mansfield	1100	719	448	640
Orrville	1000PM	920	627	916
Alliance	225	1055	805	1100
Rochester	453		1040	248PM
Pittsburgh	630	220	1145AM	400

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STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp. s.	Accom
Cleveland	830AM	855PM	405PM
Hudson	941	502	523
Havenna	1013	533	553
Alliance	1103	612	640
Bayard	1139	641	
Wellsville	110PM	800	
Pittsburgh	340	1030	

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's.	Accom
Pittsburgh	630AM	115PM	
Wellsville	840	310	
Bayard	1025	450	
Alliance	1100	525	725AM
Hudson	1230PM	653	905
Cleveland	155	730	1025

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GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Accom	Mail.	Exp's	Accom
Bellair	545AM	1050AM	540PM	
Bridgeport	555	1100	550	
Steubenville	657	1207PM	653	
Wellsville	800	105	753	
Rochester	930	235	923	
Pittsburgh	1040	340	1030	

GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's.	Accom	Accom
Pittsburgh	630AM	115PM	450PM	
Rochester	740	220	605	
Wellsville	840	310	715	
Steubenville	950	420	839	
Bridgeport	1100	525	943	
Bellair	1110	540	1100	

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The captain's son, William Wren, fourth officer, and the mate's boat-steerer, had called him a white-headed old lubber, because he (the first mate) had struck the cabin boy—Tom Cutter—a favorite with Wren.

In truth the poor youth had not deserved the blow he received. He had accidently spilt a cup of hot coffee which, in the cold latitude of the Arctic ocean, was often the first thing partaken of by the mate when he came on deck in the morning.

But the poor cabin boy is often a mark for the spleen of all hands. From the captain to the cook he is kicked and cuffed whenever his elders happen to feel like exercising themselves in this manner.

Aboard merchant vessels boys are little better treated than dogs with brutal masters. They are overworked, not only by the officers but also by the old sailors, who make them do the "dirty work" aboard ship.

That is the reason why a sensible seaman will never advise, nor approve of, a boy's going to sea.

Besides these disadvantages, a lad going away from kind, christian parents, often becomes demoralized by the coarse associates with whom he mingles. The bad treatment alone to which he is subjected had this effect.

It would have fared much worse with the cabin boy aboard the Tigress—of which vessel I am now writing—but for the kindness of Miss Temple, the captain's niece, a beautiful young lady of seventeen, who had accompanied her uncle ostensibly for her health, but in reality, if the truth must be known, that she might be near William Wren, whom she deeply loved and to whom she was engaged.

Marian Temple was indeed a lovely creature. Her long, brown hair fell down her shoulders in heavy masses; her neck was as white as marble, her eyes large and of a hazel color, lighted her regular, yet ever-varying features with a scintillating sort of glow, which was well calculated to attract.

Often this young lady would interfere where a rope's end was about being applied to little Jack's back.

On the morning in question Marian had not yet come up. William, however, emerged from the companionway to see the lad crying.

He questioned him, to learn that Mr. Barkton had struck him.

"You are a white-headed old lubber," said Wren, to the first mate; "how would you like to be struck in that way, yourself," pointing at the lad's bruised and swollen lip.

"It is none of your business," screamed Barkton.

"Yes it is; it is the business of every humane man to prevent a lad's being struck by any person except his own father."

"And so you—an officer here, yourself, wish to uphold that little scamp above me?"

As he spoke, he paced the deck, furiously.

When the captain came up, a moment later, Barkton told him that his son had interfered between him and his duty.

"How is that, Bill?" said the captain.

Bill at once explained.

"I would not have blamed the lad," he added, "had he picked up a handspike, and retaliated by striking the mate over the head with it."

"You wouldn't, eh?" screamed Barkton. "Just hear that, captain!"

"You go too far, Bill," said the scipper.

"I will go yet further," answered Bill, "and say that I, myself, have a mind to chastise him for it."

The mate was now unable to contain himself.

He shook his clenched fists at Wren, declaring that he would kill him, if he ever laid hands on his person.

Wren laughed.

The captain here interposed.

"Come men," said he, "don't let us have anymore of this. We are not here to fight among ourselves, but to fight whales."

Wren, for his father's sake, said no more. He and the first mate, however, felt, from that moment, that they were enemies.

Miss Temple soon heard of what had occurred.

One evening she was by her lover's side on the quarter deck, looking very pretty in her thick fur coat, round velvet hat, and red feather.

In the east the moon was just rising, throwing a flood of silver light over the smooth water and flooding the numerous bergs floating by with an almost unearthly radiance.

"William," said Marian, gently, "I would much rather you would no longer act as boatsteerer for the first mate."

"And why not?"

"I don't know, but, somehow, I feel very uneasy about it, and would much rather you belonged to some other boat. I have seen Barkton, ever since your difficulty with him, look at you in a way which shows that he would injure you if he could."

"You are mistaken. The man has his faults, but I don't think he would hold a grudge in that way."

"It is hard to tell," said Marian, shaking her pretty head. "Promise me that you will get removed to some other boat."

"I cannot promise you that," he answered. "I have given my word to act as harpooner for the first mate, and it would not, therefore, be right for me to do otherwise,"

Marian sighed, but said no more. Somehow she was unable to sleep that night.

Next morning the cry of "There blows!" proclaimed that whales were sighted.

In a moment all was hurry and excitement aboard. A school of bow-head whales were seen about three miles off.

"Call all hands! Clear away the boats!" screamed the captain.

Marion had come on deck. Pale as a lily she stood, watching the boats as they descended, plashing, into the water.

"Lookout for yourself," she said, in a low tone to Wren, as he went past her to get into the larboard boat.

The young man merely smiled. The next moment the boats were putting away from the ship, which lay with her main yard hauled aback, as is usual in such cases.

The boats pulled until they were out of sight of the vessel, which by this time, the wind having died away, was becalmed. Hours passed, and still no sign of them was seen.

Marian was pale with anxiety. Even the captain, who on this occasion had not lowered, walked his quarter-deck uneasily.

"What can have become of them," said Marian, walking over to the captain and laying a hand on his arm.

"I don't know, it really *does* look strange."

Another hour passed. Still no sign of the boats.

The sun was now low in the horizon; evening was throwing long-pointed shadows upon the sea from the numerous bergs floating past the vessel. Upon some of these bergs the shining seal crawling would lift its unearthly eyes to Marian's face, and utter weird, mournful howlings, as if in sympathy with her feelings.

Tears were now gathering in her brown orbs. Her bosom heaved, and she could scarcely repress her sobs.

"Heaven help *him* wherever he may be," she muttered.

Time passed; gloomy shadows gathered; the stars came out—the moon rose—a cold, clear night!

Still the captain paced his quarter-deck with sharp look-outs posted all over the vessel, and still poor Marian, stifling her sobs, leaned over the quarter-rail. Suddenly she fancied she beheld a speck upon the water through a vista among the icebergs.

She notified the captain, who soon had his night-glass leveled.

He dropped the glass and turned pale.

"For Heaven's sake!" gasped Marian, "what do you see?"

"A boat with one man in it!"

"Only one?"

"Ay, ay, niece that is all!"

The ship was headed for the boat, which soon came alongside.

Mr. Barkton, cold and shivering, his garb covered with icicles, stepped aboard.

"Well?" said the captain, impatiently.

"For Heaven's sake, a little rum first," said Barkton, turning pale, and shunning Marian's gaze.

The captain having called to the steward to furnish the rum the mate was soon gratified.

"Well," he said, after drinking deep draughts of the hot liquor, "we pulled after them whales, do you see, but they led us on a sort of wild goose chase until near night, when the second mate got fast, and all the other boats followed him and I was the only one left to follow the other whales. If those fellows havn't come aboard yet I suppose it is because they are waiting for the turn of the current to tow the whale to the ship."

The captain's eyes brightened.

"That isn't so bad, Mr. Barkton, upon my word," said the skipper, joyfully, rubbing his hands.

The mate showed no joy. His whole face was pinched and wrinkled, as if with some troublesome thought, and he kept pouring the rum down his throat.

"For Heaven's sake, stop," said the captain, "or you will be as drunk as a fiddler."

He pulled the bottle from the mate's hand.

"You are afraid of your liquor. You begrudge it!" screamed the mate. "I must have more:"

"Let that be my answer!" cried the captain, throwing the bottle overboard. "But what ails you, man? You look pale, and how you tremble."

"Where is he? Where is William Wren?" asked Marian, her eyes burning upon the mate like coals of fire.

"Ay, and all the rest of your crew?" chimed in the captain.

"I will tell you," said the mate, knitting his brows yet more closely. "You see we got fast at dark to a whale. Our boat was dragged along through the ice. Suddenly it went over so far that all the men in it except myself and the youth, Tom Cuttle, who pulled the boy oar, were spilled out upon the ice.

"As I was anxious to secure the whale, I did not cut, hoping to kill it when it should come up, with the help of Tom Cuttle.

"Well, I had to cut from it, after all, when I was many miles from the place where the men had been spilled out."

"So you couldn't tell where they are?"

"No; but I dare say they are all safe. I forgot to mention that Tom Cuttle was caught by the line and dragged under, while I was endeavoring to get at that whale."

"A strange thing to forget," thought the captain.

Moreover, he did not like the mate's manner, which was singularly unnatural.

As to Marian, she felt uneasy. A strange foreboding seemed to tell of evil—to whisper to her heart that Barkton had not told the whole truth.

All that night the captain, now having a good breeze, cruised hither and thither for that portion of the crew whom the mate had stated were left on the ice. Next morning the other boats with the whale, came alongside. The missing men, however, could not be found.

All that day and the next the captain vainly searched for them.

Marian was almost distracted. In the afternoon of the second day all aboard beheld a horrible sight. A huge, wounded whale came up close to the ship, *having a human body pinned to it, apparently with a harpoon.* The creature sounded ere the spectators could obtain a distinct view of the apparition, but Marion, with a wild shriek, exclaimed that she believed it was the body of William Wren they had seen.

"Heaven forbid!" groaned the captain; "and yet methought it did look like him!"

Others of the crew thought so, too.

Meanwhile all had noticed the singular agitation of Barkton at sight of that whale with the dead body attached. The mate had turned livid, while he shook like an aspen.

The same pinched, wrinkled expression the captain had previously noticed seemed to come again, and remain upon his parchment-hued face.

An hour after the whale had disappeared, the man aloft reported some persons on an iceberg to leeward.

Instantly there

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GOV. HARTRANFT was at Morganza, Washington county last week, and took part in the corner-stone laying ceremonies of the new House of Refuge, at that place. A large crowd of persons were present on the occasion. The Governor "orated" a little for the people, but the heavy speakers were ex-Senator Bigham and Judge Kirkpatrick of Pittsburgh.

SENATOR DAVIS, one of the three $6,000 Commissioners to the Vienna Exposition, returned to his home in Berks county last week. Whether he tired at the Austrian capital and came home disgusted, or whether he ran out of funds, has not yet become public. Mr. Rutan's present locality is not clear to us, and what he and Senator Graham know about big shows will likely not be divulged before next winter. We wouldn't, according to our present way of thinking, give much for the information.

THE Butler *Herald*, Democratic, pays the following handsome and well deserved compliment to Hon. George K. Anderson, Republican candidate for State Senator in Crawford county:

George K. Anderson Esq., paid us a visit this week looking in fine trim. Mr. Anderson has been nominated by the Republicans of Crawford county for the Senate, and we do not hesitate to say that a better nomination could not have been made by them. He was the architect of his own fortune—intimate with the oil interests of the State, having been an operator for years in Venango county, and now connected with seventeen producing wells in this county. Honest and upright in his dealings, he will prove an efficient and vigilant Senator to whom the public interests can be entrusted with perfect confidence. Although opposed to him in politics, we note his nomination with pleasure, and as he is now elected, we feel certain he will never betray the trust confided to him.

ONE thousand persons passed through Pittsburgh one day last week, and in one body, *en route* for Salt Lake City, to join Brigham Young's people in Utah Territory. The party was composed of men, women and children, who had been gathered together in Europe by a couple of the agents of the Mormon Church. They all looked neat and clean, and seemed to have belonged to the middle class of people in the old world. They were in excellent spirits, having been but twelve days in crossing the ocean, and seemed anxious to reach their destination as soon as possible. Mormonism, we take it, is not losing as much ground either in this country, or in Europe, as many had latterly supposed.

WE spent two or three days last week at Caldwell, Noble county, Ohio. While there we became acquainted with "Private Dalzell," of literary and temperance fame, and found him not the light-headed, shallow-brained individual the newspapers have represented him, but a finished scholar, a perfect gentleman and one of the leading lawyers of the county. The newspapers there are now controlled—the *Republican* by Mr. Cooley and the *Spectator* by Messrs Moore and Amos.—The first named is the Republican organ, the latter the Democratic. Both are live newspapers and manage to gather up a good deal of local news, considering the fact that Noble county is sparsely settled and until quite lately, almost isolated from the rest of the world. Its politics are quite close and both parties are now trying to avail themselves of some "loose material" in the county in the shape of an anti-Masonic organization, and a working-man's league. Strategy is the order of things there now. We shall watch the result with some interest.

JEFFERSON was faithful to the party that elected him. But he would not appoint men to office merely because they were conspicuous partisans. He took great care to get the right man for the right place. He would not give an appointment to a relative. Of this James Parton, in the *Atlantic Monthly* for August says:

> At the first view this seems unjust to the honorable and capable families who were related to the president. It has the air of courting cheap and easy popularity, and is open to the objection of pitching the note too high for the limited range of human nature. But his convictions on the point were clear and strong, and Prof. Tucker records that he acted on this principal throughout life in the administration of trusts. Thus, as rector of the University of Virginia, he opposed the appointment of a nephew to a professorship, though he was well qualified for the place; dreading lest it should open a door to the system which has made universities and church endowments in other lands mere appendages to the estates of governing families. He was nobly seconded in his resolution by his own kindred. Imagine his delight on receiving from one of them, George Jefferson, a few days after his inauguration, a letter spontaneously declining to be a candidate for a federal office to which his neighbors and friends desired to recommend him. "The public," wrote the President, "will never be made believe that an appointment of a relative is made on the ground of merit alone, uninfluenced by family views; nor can they ever see with approbation offices, the disposal of which they intrust to the President for public purposes, divided out as family property." He owned that the rule bore hardly upon a President's relations; but the public good, he thought, required the sacrifice, for which their share in the public esteem might be considered some compensation. "I could not be satisfied," said he, "until I assured you of the increased esteem with which this transaction fills me of you."
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> His two sons-in-law did not suffer from the rule, since their neighbors kept them both in the house of representatives.

THE Western farmers are becoming fastidious. Alarmed by the furious love for agricultural pursuits developed by the politicians, they are holding those demonstrative gentlemen at a distance and calmly surveying them before admitting them to the fold. A squad of local politicians in Leavenworth, Kansas, recently organized a "Grange," and applied for a charter, but as yet the request has not been granted. Being interrogated upon the subject, a leading Granger philosophically remarked: "We must draw the line somewhere. If we admit Col. Coffin, we would have to admit Len Smith. If Smith were admitted, we would be obliged to admit Jim Legate. When Legate was admitted, Markson would apply. If we admitted Markson, Tom Johnson would have to be admitted, and within less than two months every do-nothing individual in town would belong to the order." The equilibrium of that Granger's head is unquestionable.

A MOST important piece of intelligence comes from Washington. It is that Senator Cameron has declared himself in favor of General Grant for a third term. Mosby, Wise, and Ben Butler have all done the same thing. To see these traitors and corruptionists pulling one way ought to induce loyal and honest men to pull in the other direction.

BROOKLYN and New York cities are both very much excited again over the Goodrich murder, which occurred in the former place several months ago. The origin of the present excitement grows out of the arrest of "Kate Stoddard" the mistress of the deceased as the murderess. In her trunks were found his watch, watch seal, pocket-book, revolver &c. After these evidences of guilt were discovered in her possession, she confessed the crime and alleged that she was driven to it because of her love for Goodrich, and his cruelty towards her in ordering her away from his house, after they had lived together for several months. Since her arrest she has made one or two efforts to commit suicide.

THE National Capitol had a sensational dog suit last Friday. The Hon. Caleb Cushing sued Thomas Kelly for keeping a noisy and vicious dog. The action was brought in the Police Court. The Court, regarding the dog as a nuisance, ordered that it be killed or removed, and directed Kelly to pay $25 into court as security that the judgment would be executed. *This was something in the* great lawyer's favor, but not at all what he anticipated. He claimed $4,000 damages. But here came in another curious aspect in the case: After the decision was rendered it was ascertained that the dog belonged to the Hon. Fernando Wood of New York and that Kelly was only keeping the vicious brute for that distinguished individual.

THE Bucks county *Intelligencer* takes no stock in the movement to make Mackey the next candidate for State Treasurer. In refering to the matter a week or two ago it held as follows:

> "There appears to be a disposition among the different candidates for Supreme Judge to disconnect themselves from any share in the proposed nomination of R. W. Mackey for State Treasurer. None of them want to be contaminated by the odium that is supposed to attach to the Mackey movement, and they fancy themselves in a better position if they keep aloof from his interests. This is a key to the impolicy of nominating Mackey for a fifth term in his responsible and profitable office. If expectant candidates for another position on the same ticket fight shy of him, what must be the sentiment of Republicans generally? We venture to say that Mackey is not the free choice of one-fifth of the Republicans of Pennsylvania. The only preventive of this result seems to be the concentration of those who are opposed to him upon some other person at the meeting of the Convention. The character of this nomination is a very important matter to the Republicans of the close counties, and it is one in which they feel a deep concern."

OUR little neighbor down street is anxious to know what relation the ARGUS sustains "to the Democracy, now that the *Conservative* is thrown overboard." As nobody else seems to be paying any attention to him or caring for what he says, we will do him the honor to say that the ARGUS is not a party paper, nor will it be until a good many corrupt politicians are sent to the rear, and a better class of men brought to the front. In the meantime its editor will support all measures which he believes will benefit the people at large, and oppose such as he thinks will be detrimental to their intetests, never for once stopping to inquire as to where they originate or by whom they are supported. In regard to candidates, he will vote only for those in whose honesty and capability he has confidence. All others must look elsewhere for their support. At the coming October election, we will, in all probability, vote the Republican ticket, with one or two exceptions, not however, because the men who compose it are known as Republicans, but because we believe them to be better qualified to fill the positions for which they are named than their opponents. Has the *Radical* any fault to find with this, our intention? If it has its editor has an invitation to rise and explain.

Another point: *If it be true, as the Radical* alleges, that "the *Conservative* has been thrown overboard," (we were not at home when the Democrats held their county convention) then out of respect for the large number of Democrats who have always taken and read the ARGUS, we will give their ticket a place in our columns. We do this too, so that voters generally may know who are asking for support at their hands. If the *Radical* believes this information ought not to be given them, its editor can take the floor, and give his "reasons for the faith that is in him."

SENATOR CARPENTER of Wisconsin, and Congressman Butler of Massachusetts, both of whom voted for the salary steal, have made speeches recently in defence of their conduct. They both assume that Congressmen heretofore have been paid too little for their services, and that they should receive enough to enable them to live in a luxurious manner while in Washington city. In fact they both take the ground that whatever may be the *highest style* of luxury *and extravagance in the country, that* a member of Congress is entitled to! This they say when they claim that our Senators and Representatives in Congress must have $7,500 per annum! Not more than one in five hundred of the respectable business men of this country, or even men of wealth have any such income. The following is something like a fair average of incomes in this country:

A laborer, $450,
Clergymen and country doctors, $1,000.
Average lawyers; $2,500.
Literary men and officers of banks, from $2,000 to $3,500.
Eminent lawyers, large merchants, and men of wealth, $7,000 to $10,000

These are rather too high than too low, and yet how insignificant most of them seem when compared with the amount Carpenter and Butler insist upon having for their congressional services. Another point: Congressmen are only required to be at their posts about six months in each year, so that one half of their time can be and is employed in taking care of or managing their private affairs, while persons who are engaged in the occupations above enumerated are obliged to devote every hour of their time to earning the meagre salary specified.

REBE AND THERE.

—The romantic sentiment which leads people to have, the marriage ceremony performed in theaterands on the tops of mountains has reached the last degree of absurdity. The sum of twenty-five dollars has just been paid by a high-minded couple in Iowa for the precious privilege of being married in a circus ring, the clown and the "Wild Horse of the Pampas" being temporarily extinguished for that purpose.

—A miraculous breach of promise case has recently been heard in the Queen's Bench, Dublin. The plaintiff, Mrs. Shea, was a widow, 50 years of age, and singular to relate she was the godmother of the defendant, Richard Davies, aged 30. The indignant jury gave this deep and designing widow and godmother one farthing damages, with sixpence costs—a refreshing verdict to read of. A widow and godmother in one person must be more dangerous than the simple Wellereau relict.

—A lady in Lynn, Mass., last week sold a bag of rags to a pedler. She was perfectly well satisfied with her bargain until she remembered that in order to guard against thieves and robbers she had secreted in the bag two bank-books, notes, and so forth, to the value of about $4,000. But considering how careless she had been she was luckier than she deserved to be; for, with all the energy and acuteness of despair, she sought for that pedlar, found him in Salem, and recovered her treasure. We might offer a moral, but it would be of no use. Women who hide bank-books in rag-bags are beyond the reach of all the morals in the world.

—A gentle youth and fair maiden of Texas have outdone all other tender pairs in their manner of getting married. They eloped together from school, and duly armed with a license, rushed post-haste to a minister on Red River, and desired him to perform the fateful ceremony. This the heartless man refused to do, his reason being that neither the lady nor gentleman was yet of age, and the law ,mightn't like it. Despair was about to overwhelm the couple, when they were struck by an idea. There were no boats to be had, but cottonwood logs were abundant. They bestowed themselves carefully on one of these, previously mooring it to the bank with a long rope, and then they having drifted far enough into the stream to be considered out of Texas, the minister gracefully climbed a stump at the water's edge and pronounced the solemn sentences of the ceremony.

—An Indiana gentleman—you may see that he was a gentleman from a remark he made—was recently acquitted by a sympathetic jury for the murder of his wife. He rose, bowed to the twelve good men and true who had treated him so handsomely, and thinking that one good turn deserves another, said, "Boys, I reckon I can stand the soda water on that." Is there not a moral in this pleasing incident, if we would take the trouble to see it? How many men regard the public acts of public functionaries exactly according to the way they are affected by them. Davy Crockett once called a cotemporary in the Senate a gentleman and a statesman, because said Davy, "He gave me the brandy-bottle and looked away when I poured out my drink."

—A bit of romance crops out at Shaftsbury, Vermont, in the marriage of Nathaniel Olin, an old man of seventy years, to a woman who, years ago, had been the bride of his youth, but from whom he had been divorced. During this long interval Olin has lived in Ohio, and had two other wives, by one of whom he had a large family of children. But the first wife seems to have cherished a tender feeling toward him through all these long years, and remained single and loyal; and on a visit of Olin to his old home, last week, the two met, and the old flame revived, and the happy panacea of marriage was the satisfactory denouement.

—In the time of the excellent Cotton Mather the rules of the Sabbath were sharply defined, and if any person erred in the matter of unseemly behavior it was not for lack of directions. But in these days opinions as to the conduct commanded by Holy Writ vary, and scarcely two people keep the seventh day in the same way. One point, however, is decided for us authoritatively by a Virginia court. It pronounces a "clean shave" on Sunday before church to be not only allowable but necessary, and therefore a kind of preparatory religious rite. All this being conceded, it rules that barbers be permitted to practice their art on any and every Sabbath. The good old Puritans might perhaps have rebelled at this decision, but what would they have said to the announcement that music by a brass band is one of the irresistible attractions of a church in Newport! They would, doubtless, be better pleased with the action of the Albany clergyman who lately requested his congregatron to put aside their fashionable fans, those toys being an annoyance to him in the sanctuary.

—The law prohibiting the intermarriage of Blacks and Whites still exists and is still enforced in Nebraska. This gave a Probate Judge there (Townsend) an opportunity to indulge in a little bit of fun. On the Fourth of July he was asked to grant a marriage license to a black man and a white woman. He refused, and indorsed his reasons upon the application. "Things," he said, "are badly mixed. The Supreme Court of the State of Nebraska has decided that negroes cannot be excluded from juries any more than red-headed people, or people five feet high. Yet when, in accordance with this decision, the Legislature of Nebraska was asked to repeal the law forbidding the consummation of habpiness between negroes and whites, the God and Equality Legislature killed the bill." And then this sharp Probate Judge went on as follows: "I trust the time will soon come when 'equality' will mean equality in all things, political, civil, religious (no African M. E. Church), social, and especially matrimonial." Judge Townsend concluded with a bit of advice gtatis. He recommended the parties "to cross over into Iowa, where a negro can marry the Governor's daughter, if she is willing."

A MYSTERY UNRAVELED.

A Murderess Tracked Down—Mr. Goodrich Shot by His Mistress—She Stays by the Body a Day, and then Merely Changes Her Name—The Crime Frankly Admitted—A Mosaic of Love and Vengeance.

The mystery which has so long shrouded the death of Charles Goodrich in Brooklyn has been unraveled at last for Kate Stoddard has confessed that she killed him. After her arrest she refused to tell where she had lodged, and the police adopted the shrewd device of calling at every house in Brooklyn and asking if a woman had been missing since Tuesday. The trick succeeded. It was ascertained that a woman answering to the description of Kate Stoddard, boarding with Mrs. A. Taylor, a widow, in High-st., between Jay and Bridge-sts., had been missing since that time. Mrs. Taylor accompanied the officers to the Second Precinct Station-house, where the prisoner was detained, and recognized her as her missing boarder. The trunks of the accused were then opened, and in one of them was found the murdered man's watch and chain, sealring, seal, pocketbook, containing $40 in bills, and revolver, three of the chambers of which were loaded and three empty. The fact that three bullets were found in the head of the murdered man made the circumstance of three barrels of the weapon being discharged the more significant. On learning that the effects of the murdered man had been found in her trunks, she confessed her guilt. She said that she loved the deceased, and had lived with him for more than a year previous to his death. He grew weary of her, endeavored to cast her off, and ordered her to leave the house in Degraw-st. She refused, and he then treated her brutally. On the morning of Thursday, March 20, finding that Goodrich was inexorable, she determined to kill him. She had put the revolver in her pocket, and while he was stooping to build a fire in the heater in the basement, she called his name, and as he looked up she shot him. He fell, and she fired two more shots, all three taking effect in the head, and causing almost instant death. She then washed the blood from the corpse, remained in the house all day, and on the following morning went to New York. During her absence the murder was discovered. The murderess has apparently made no effort at concealment beyond changing her name. She has crossed to her place of employment in this city almost daily, and has even attended Plymouth Church on several occasions.

THE CRIME CONFESSED.

Finally, by the merest accident, on the evening of Tuesday last Kate Stoddard was brought within the strong grasp of the law. She was coming out of the Fulton Ferry-house as the amateur detective was about to enter it to go to New York, and thus the two were face to face. Miss Hanley at once recognized her former associate and the murderess in the woman confronting her, and after calling her by name beckoned to an officer of the Second Precinct, by whom she was conveyed to the station-house in York-st. Chief Campbell, accompanied by Commissioner Jourdan, was not slow to answer the summons, and at once repaired to the station-house and held an interview with the woman. From the photographs of the murderess which the police had in their possession it was hard to identify the woman under arrest, and the prisoner pleaded entire innocence of any offense against the law, and was very anxious to know why she had been arrested. The Chief then determined to ascertain where she had been living and accordingly an officer was dispatched to every residence in the several precincts with instructions to make inquiries with reference to every woman who might have been missing during the past week. The plan proved to be a successful one, and late on Thursday afternoon it was ascertained that the murderess had resided ever since the tragedy, in the boarding-house of Mrs. Ann Taylor, at No. 127, High-st., in the Second Ward, and within a few blocks of the First and Second Police Station-houses. The name she had assumed was Minnie Waltham, and when the detectives who were speedily sent to the house reached it, they found her trunks and the property of the murdered man, Charles Goodrich. The landlady, Mrs. Taylor, was taken to the Station-house, and at once identified the prisoner as her missing boarder.

HIS WATCH AND PISTOL IN HER TRUNK.

In the prisoner's trunk were found Goodrich's watch, seal-ring and detached seal, and the pocket-book containing $40 in bills. The watch answers fully the description of the one worn by the murdered man. It is double cased, red gold, anchor movement, and lined. Nickel works frosted, No. 11,232, maker Jules Jurgensen of Copenhagen. The finger-ring is of gold, slightly chased, and set with a blood-red stone. The watch-chain is a heavy, plain one, and at the end of it is a seal with red stone. The seal which is detached is an old fashioned one, of serpentine pattern, holding and agate by pivots. The agate is polished on one side and inscribed with the letter "G" in old English. In addition to these articles belonging to the dead man there were found his revolver with three barrels empty, and a bundle of letters, among which were two from Goodrich to her, making arrangements to meet her. Other letters are from her father and mother, and show that her real name is Lizzie M. King, and that her home was formerly in Middleborough, Mass.

The Coroners Jury rendered the following verdict:

We find that the said Charles Goodrich came to his death by pistol-shot wounds in the head, inflicted by Lizzie Lloyd King, alias Kate Stoddard, with intent to cause death, on the evening of the 20th or morning of the 21st of March, 1873, at his aforesaid house in Degraw-st., Brooklyn. Wm. Richardson, Michael Bennett, Owen Hazeltine, Robert Speir, Henry E. Fowler, Wm. Robinson, Frank P. Gavan, D. D. Whitney.

The Cholera—Panic at Mt. Vernon, Ind—Forty Deaths Within a Week.

EVANSVILLE, July 17.—A *Journal* special states that a panic prevails at Mt. Vernon, Ind., about the cholera. Forty deaths have occurred within a week, and eight or ten occurred, yesterday. The people are fleeing, and the most vigorous sanitary measures are being enforced.

CINCINNATI, July 17.—Only one death from cholera was reported at the Health office to-day.

LOUISVILLE, July 17.—Advices to the *Courier-Journal* reports the cholera as prevalent in Elizabethtown, Owensboro, Millersburg and several other Kentucky towns.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., July 20.—A *Journal* special from Mt. Vernon states that there is little if any signs of abatement of cholera symptoms since yesterday. Several new cases have been reported and six deaths occurred there in the city and three near the suburbs. More than one-half the population have left the town, many hundreds of them coming to this city, and others are now preparing to leave unless a favorable change occurs immediately. No pretense of business has been made for several days and the city has a lost, deserted and gloomy appearance. Physicians have arrived from several of the surrounding towns, and are rendering all the assistance in their power. Among the deaths to-day were Dr. Metzdorff, a young German physician, of much promise, who has since the appearance of the epidemic been most active in his efforts in behalf of the sick and dying, and John Moody and two daughters. The latter were the last but one of a family of ten, who have within the week been cut down by the terrible disease. It has occured in three distinct cases that four deaths have occurred in a single family, in one instance leaving but one living, but there has been no case equalling in sadness to this one. An appeal has been made to the city for physicians and nurses, those already there being worked down. The work of disinfecting is still in progress.

New Advertisements.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE National Bank of Beaver County, New Brighton, Pa., at the close of business on the 13th of June, 1873.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$183,864 99
Overdrafts	945 31
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	120,000 00
U. S. Bonds and securities on hand	15,000 00
Due from Redeeming & Reserve Ag'ts	3,199 10
Due from National Banks	1,762 98
Due from State Banks and Bankers	913 83
Banking House	14,374 54
Furniture and Fixtures	2,976 68
Current expenses	1,479 09
Taxes Paid	661 20
Checks and other Cash Items	550 47
Bills of National Banks	2,800 00
Fractional Currency	161 18
Specie—Coin	508 80
Legal Tender Notes	43,730 00
	$391,626 55

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$200,000 00
Surplus Fund	33,848 56
Discount	4,269 75
Exchange	2,286 83
Interest	3,877 66
Profit and Loss	140 61
National Bank Circulation	104,984 00
Dividends unpaid	1,356 34
Individual Deposits	51,207 53
Due to State Banks and Bankers	61 97
	$391,626 55

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } ss
COUNTY OF BEAVER, }

I, Edward Hoops, Cashier of "The National Bank of Beaver County," do solemnly affirm that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDWARD HOOPS, Cashier.

Subscribed before me this 9th day of June,
MILTON TOWNSEND,
Notary Public.

CORRECT Attest—
J. MINER,
M. DARRAGH,
R. E. HOOPES,
Directors.

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DIVIDEND No 31.

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By order of County Commissioners.

jy16-3w JOHN McGOWN, Clerk.

(Radical and Conservative copy.)

Commonwealth of Penna. et al, vs. Lucinda Campbell Gray, a Lupatic.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Beaver county, No. 164 Sept. term, 1867.

Interested parties are hereby notified that the final account of Benjamin Todd, committee of Lucinda Campbell Gray, a lunatic, has been filed in the office of the Prothonotary, of said Court, and will be confirmed on the first day of next Term, unless sufficient cause to the contrary be shown in the meantime. JOHN CAMPBELL,

Jly 14, 1873.—3w* Prothonotary

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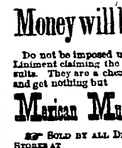

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The attention of the public is directed to the following New Advertisements which appear for the first time in the ARGUS to-day:

Special Notice—Hoofland's German Bitters....C
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Bank Dividend—E. Hoopes, Cashier.....1m-4-w

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Hon. W. McClelland, the former Representative in Congress from this District is talked of as the next chairman of the State Democratic Committee. It is not likely, however, that he will succeed in obtaining the position, even if he desires it, which is doubtful.

The Washington Reporter locates the Frazier-Faulstock tragedy in this county. This is incorrect. It occurred in Harmony, Butler county, but near the Beaver county line.

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Wool.—In the immediate vicinity of Washington the market has been dull during the last week. At Beallsville, however, we understand that it is quite active sales rating at about 45 cents. A careful observer estimates that about five hundred thousand pounds have been sold in this vicinity during the last month, about three-fifths of which was from Washington county and the balance from Greene county. One of the good results following this is greater ease in the money market; and the deposits with our bankers have lately largely increased. There is yet a large quantity of wool in the hands of farmers.—*Washington Reporter, July 16.*

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Legislative Conference Meeting.—On the 19th inst., the Legislative Conferees of the district composed of Beaver, Butler and Washington counties, met at the Monongahela House in Pittsburgh. The following gentleman were present as conferees:

Beaver County.—Capt. C. K. Champion, H. J. Speyerer, esq., and John McCarty, esq.

Butler County.—H. Pillow, Dr. A. W. Crawford, and Capt. H. Timblin.

Washington County.—Dr. J. W. Alexander, William Kidd and John Hall.

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Mr. James McElduff of Brighton township has our thanks for a basket filled with ripe apples and pears. We can assure Mr. M., they were not hard to take.

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Rev. Mr. Brown, formerly pastor of the Presbyterian church at Rousseville, has been called to Tionesta for one year, by the Presbyterian congregation of that place.

[For the Beaver Argus.]

Up to Somerset County—Turkey Foot—General Washington—National Road—Shook the Glades, &c.—Leaving our own quiet and beautiful town a few days since, seated in one of the coaches of our own most reliable road, I followed the Ohio up to Pittsburgh, thence being transferred to the Connellsville depot, I took seat in one of the coaches, and was steamed along the bank of the Monongahela up to McKeesport, where, leaving that river I followed the Youghiogeny up to Connellsville, and thence up to Confluence in Somerset county. I have been thus particular to emphasize up, because a whilom editor took me to task a few days since for saying I was going up to Somerset county, remarking that he had been taught from boyhood to say *down to* Somerset. I want to add for his benefit, that the highest point on the national road in this state is in Somerset county, and that there is but one higher on the road from Cumberland to Wheeling, namely: one four miles from the Maryland line.

Confluence is so styled because here three streams flow together—the Youghiogeny, North Fork and Casselmans. The early settlers styled it Turkey Foot, because each of the streams represented a toe of a turkey's foot. This was one of the earliest settled places west of the mountains, there being quite a settlement here when Washington first passed through, and old roads are found leading from this point to the first settlement at Brownsville or Redstone and Connellsville.

This county was taken from Bedford in 1795, and is composed of a higher and rather level table land between the Great Allegheny mountains and Laurel Hill. The first opening through the wilderness of this county, was made by Lieut. Col. George Washington in 1754. He was moving westward with a regiment of Virginians, for the purpose of erecting a fort at the Forks of the Ohio, as the junction of the Allegheny and Monongahela was then styled. The French, being fully determined to control the navigation of the Ohio, and the trade with the various Indian tribes on its banks, had made good use of the time that had elapsed since Washington's first visit to the French commander as the bearer of a letter from Dinwiddie, Governor of Virginia, inquiring the designs of the French in settling on what was then regarded as a part of the "Old Dominion." They had built fort Du Quesne, and a party of French and Indians was hastening to intercept Washington, who was cutting his way through the wilderness. When some fifteen miles west of this point, hearing of their approach, he hastily erected Fort Necessity, which he defended so gallantly against overwhelming forces, that he was allowed to march out with the honors of war and return to his home in Virginia. A few years later he again passed through here, as the aid of the ill-fated, though brave General Braddock, who your young readers will remember, fell mortally wounded at Braddock's Fields, a few miles this side of Pittsburgh, but whose body was buried near the road, about a mile from Fayette Springs and about the same distance from Fort Necessity.

The great National road, the grandest of the kind ever constructed in this country, passes through a corner of this county. Though very little has been expended upon it for a score of years, it is still a delightful road to travel in this mountainous country. This was the great thorough fare between the east and the west until the construction of the canal, and finally the Pennsylvania Central Railroad. It was not an unnatural thing to see from five to fifteen heavy coaches in company loaded with passengers, while the traveler was never out of sight of the almost continuous cavalcade of Pennsylvania wagons with their five or seven horses, such as could be found scarcely anywhere else.

It is not strange that the farmers should think they were ruined when all this travel was diverted, for at least every third man on the road kept a hotel and furnished stabling, while the others raised oats and hay for those hotel keepers. Nevertheless, the Central railroad, the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, though remote from the county, were a blessing to it. The farmers have turned their attention most exclusively to grazing, for which their land is much better fitted, and it is safe to say that they are making a larger per centage on the money they have invested in their farms, than in many sections that are considered much better. The new railroad from Cumberland to Connellsville passes through the county, and with the branch to Somerset is proving of immense advantage to the farmers.

This county is also noted for the quantity of maple sugar that it exports. The Glades butter is as well known in the Baltimore and Washington markets, as is the Goshen in the New York market, and always commands the highest price.

The farmers in many places, much to the relief of the women and lazy boys—if my memory serves me correctly—employ dog and horse power to do their churning.

The mountain scenery is grand. As you stand upon one ridge, and look across the wide expanse of cultivated field of dale and hill to the opposite ridge, you do not wonder that artists from every quarter seek these points for their studies and sketches.

A very heavy business is done here in the manufacture of "shook," which is hogshead staves ready for use tied in bundles. This is sent to Baltimore, and thence shipped to the West Indies and other points to be set up for sugar and molasses. Mine excellent host of this place, Daniel Augustine, esq., informed me that he had sold the timber from a track of land for two thousand dollars, that would not have been worth two hundred had not the new railroad been constituted.

This town is the home of General Ross, a man of the strictest integrity, possessed of much historical information, and a few years since the representative from this county in the Legislature of the State. I find here the accomplished daughters of Dr. Pershing of the Female College, Miss Sawhill, a graduate of the same institution, and Miss Olivia Smith, one of the teachers of the Beaver College and Musical Institute.

Here with the very kind and intelligent family of mine host, one of whose daughters is a graduate of your own college and one of the Pittsburgh, riding, driving and croqueting, I have spent a few most enjoyable days to whose number I would cheerfully add; but business calls; I must away.

RAMBLER.

Ice Cold Sparkling Soda Water, flavored with pure fruit syrups, fresh from Hugo Andriessen's marble fountains. ap16-3m

Thomas Dungan, esq., well-known to the older citizens of Beaver county as a prominent local politician, a good many years ago, died at his residence in North Beaver township, Lawrence county, last week, at a very advanced age. He was the first representative Lawrence county had in the State Legislature. He was not a man of marked ability, but his freedom from bad habits and lofty religious character, gave him an extensive influence in his locality.

Children often look Pale and Sick from no other cause than having worms in the stomach. *Dr. Keyser's Vermifuge Confits* will destroy Worms without injury to the child, being *perfectly White*, and free from all coloring or other injurious ingredients usually used in worm preparations. *Curtis & Brown*, Proprietors, No. 215 Fulton Street, New York. Sold by Druggists and Chemists, and dealers in Medicines at *Twenty-Five cents a Box.* jy16-1y-73

"Spooks,"—HARK FROM THE GROUND A DOLEFUL SOUND.—The New Castle *Gazette* of last week says:

The following story, which many will read with a smile of derision, is confirmed by the declarations of more than a score of creditable men and women whose character for veracity is such that it has never been questioned even by the tongue of slander. We give it as it was told us as a problem to be solved if possible on scientific principles:

"Several years ago, a citizen of this county who was noted for his horrid profanity, undertook to find coal at a point about three miles from this city where there was very little prospect of coal ever being found. On being told that he would never get coal where he was digging, he replied, 'I will find coal if I have to dig to hell for it.' He sank a shaft to the distance of about fifty feet but before he found coal he was taken sick and died. Those who have since had occasion to pass that way report that strange, unearthly sounds proceeding from the deserted coal (?) shaft break the solemn silence of the place and fall upon the ear with a strange sensation that sends a thrill of horror through every nerve of the human system. When the shades of evening begin to fall these sounds become doubly terrible, so much so, that even men of more than ordinary courage avoid it as they would the vestibule of perdition. Whether this remarkable phenomenon, if you will allow us the expression, can be explained on scientific principles and traced to natural causes, no one can at present determine. A great effort has been made to keep these facts concealed, but as a devotee to the cause of scientific truth we propose to give them publicity, regardless of consequences."

Free of Charge.—Call at Hugo Andriessen's Beaver Drug Store, Beaver, Pa, and get a sample bottle of Dr. A. Boschee's German Syrup, *free of charge.* It has lately been introduced in this country from Germany, and for any person suffering with a severe cough, heavy cold settled on the breast, consumption or any disease of the throat and lungs it has no equal in the world. Our regular size bottles 75 cents. In all cases money will be promptly returned if perfect satisfaction is not given. Two doses will relieve any case. Try it once. ap16-3m

The Poor.—From the Steward of the County Home, we ascertain that those of our people who are unable to take care of themselves number and are located as follows:

At County Home	40
Recurring aid outside	3
At Dixmont	12
At Asylum at Harrisburg	2
Total	57

Pianos and Organs.—If you would save money in the purchase of either Piano or Organ call at J. M. Leighner & Co.'s, Federal street, Allegheny City. Sole agents for the popular New Jubilee Organs. Pianos of every make. Call or write for circular. We guarantee prices lower than any other house in the city. jy26-4t

"Hard Times" have affected the business men of this county, with great severity. Quite a number of our most prominent and active merchants have been forced into bankruptcy or obliged to make assignments, and now the stringency is reaching some of our farmer friends. It pained us the other day to hear that John Steele, esq., of Ohio township, had become hopelessly involved and that David Scott, esq., of Brighton township, had been chosen an assignee to settle up his business. Mr. Steele has always been regarded as one of our best citizens, and his present misfortunes will beget him the sympathy of a large number of our people. His liabilities are reported at about $50,000. What the assets are supposed to amount to we have not heard.

The Household Panacea, and Family Liniment is the best remedy in the world for the following complaints, viz.: Cramps in the Limbs and Stomach, Pain in the Stomach, Bowels or Side, Rheumatism in all its forms, Bilious Colic, Neuralgia, Cholera, Dysentery, Colds, Fresh Wounds, Burns, Sore Throat, Spinal Complaints, Sprains and Bruises, Chills and Fever for Internal and External use

Its operation is not only to relieve the patient, but entirely removes the cause of the complaint. It penetrates and pervades the whole system, restoring healthy action to all its parts, and quickening the blood.

The Household Panacea is purely Vegetable and all Healing. Prepared by Curtis & Brown, No. 215 Fulton Street, New York. For sale by all druggists. jy16-1y

If you see a boy with his arm in a sling and no eyebrows to speak of, you may rest assured he had a good time on the Fourth.

Warning.—Let every person that has the slightest idea of being sick, with any of those terrible diseases peculiar to warm weather, such as Cholera, Cholera morbus, Dysentery, &c, get at once a bottle of Magnus Persian Oleine as it is the best known remedy for those diseases whether for men, women or children. Price 50 cents. For sale by Druggists, Dealers and Agents. jy16-3m

The Dayton *Journal* says: The gossip in high life that Fred. Grant, son of the President, is about to marry the daughter of Hon. J. C. Dunlevy, of Chicago, has especial interest in this section. The young lady referred to is Miss Mattie Dunlevy, who removed from this city with her father to Chicago about three years ago. Judge D., during his residence here, was, a portion of the time, Assessor of Internal Revenue, and on retiring from that position he resumed the practice of law. Miss Mattie made her debut in society here, and at once became a belle of the city, her peerless beauty placing rivalry out of the question. She is a brunette, with a large, dark eye, shaded by long, heavy eyelashes, and arched by a heavy brow, which harmonizes with and gives an irresistibly beautiful expression to delicate features fashioned in beauty's own mold. Her bearing is one of queenly grace, softened by a gentleness of manner that makes her one of the most agreeable of women. If she were the wife of the President's son she would be recognized, what she doubtless is, as one of the most beautiful women of America.

Fine white shawls at $1 50 at, Smith's, Rochester, Pa jy16-2w

Rumor has it, but the madame is not always to be relied upon, that Mr. William Kennedy's liabilities will reach $300,000. His assets, however, are also heavy, but what the difference will prove in the end to be, we have not even heard guessed yet.

Thirty Years' Experience of an old Nurse.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is the prescription of one of the best Female Physicians and Nurses in the United States, and has been used for thirty years with never *failing safety and* success by millions of mothers and children, from the feeble infant of one week old to the adult. It corrects acidity of the stomach, relieves wind colic, regulates the bowels, and gives rest, health and comfort to mother and child. We believe it to be the Best and Surest Remedy in the World, in all cases of Dysentery and Diarrhœa in children whether it arises from Teething or from any other cause. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. None Genuine unless the fac-simile of Curtis and Perkins is on the outside wrapper. Sold by all Medicine Dealers. jy16-1y.-73.

The M. E. Sabbath Schools of Beaver and Bridgewater had a pic-nic at the Fair Grounds on last Thursday afternoon. The little folks enjoyed themselves hugely; big folks ditto.

Real Estate Sales.—Last week Stevenson & Wittish, Agents of Real Estate at No. 198 Penn street, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Beaver Fails, Pa., disposed of the following properties: 2 acres in Brighton township, this county, within one-half mile of Beaver at $1,800, and house and two lots, situate in the borough of Beaver Falls, on Grant street, at 2,000.

"Mac," a correspondent of the Pittsburgh *Gazette*, writing from Alliance a few days ago, thus speaks of the school at New Galilee in particular, and the schools of Beaver county in general:

A new brick school building is among the late improvements. This is commendable, but not as much so as when we learn that, like too many incorporated towns, the citizens, or at least a portion of them, imagine themselves to be unable to afford more than five months public school in the year, and then offer a teacher a support of $45 per month, and the school ungraded at that. From this we would infer that the educational wants of the village must be easily and cheaply supplied, yet in this respect it may compare favorably with others of Beaver county.

We are not prepared to say anything touching the school at New Galilee, because we know nothing of it; but we have no hesitation in saying that if "Mac" will make the proper inquiry he will find that Beaver county pays its public school teachers as well as any other county in the State, and moreover that these teachers (especially since Bro. Curtis quit the business) are about as efficient as any he can find let him go whithersoever he will.

All the late novelties in fans at the cheap store of W. A. Smith, Rochester, Pa. jy16-2w

During the thunderstorm last Thursday morning the dwelling house occupied by Dr. Eiseman, of Beaver, was struck by lightning, but fortunately no one was hurt by the electrical discharge.

Fine black Hernanis at 40c, very fine all wool 60c, at W. A. Smith's, Rochester, Pa. jy16-2w

Nomination to West Point.—The preliminary examination of the applicants for the nomination to West Point took place at New Brighton on last Friday and resulted in the choice of Alexander McPatch, of Hanstonville in this county. The examinating committee consisted of Professors Gents, and Aikin, of Lawrence county, Dr. C. L. Wendt and Henry Hice, esq., of Beaver, and Dr. Grayson of this place. Sixteen candidates in all presented themselves for examination, nine being from Washington county, six from Beaver and one from Lawrence. Of the whole number nine,—namely two from Washington county, the six from Beaver and and the one from Lawrence,—were rejected on the ground of physical disability, having but seven—all from Washington county—to be examined as to mental qualifications. Several of these came in close competition, but a careful comparison of their merits constrained the examining committee to recommend Mr. Patch as above stated, and accordingly his nomination has been sent on to the War Department. He is a young gentleman of good character and habits, and deserves credit for the commendable energy he has displayed in his effort to obtain for himself a liberal education. He has for a short time been a student of the Canonsburg Academy and under the tuition of Messrs. Ewing & Brown to whose thorough training he is doubtless largely indebted for the attainments which enabled him to bear off the coveted prize referred to. We predict that if received at West Point he will do no discredit to his district.—*Washington Reporter.*

Japanese poplins, latest and most beautiful styles. Plain watered stripe 22c; plain stripe fine 25c; brocade stripe very fine 33½; at the cheap store of W. A. Smith, Rochester, Pa. jy16-2w

J. Weaver & Co.—J. Weaver & Co., Advertising Agents, Pittsburgh, have made for themselves an enviable reputation. We have done a large amount of business with them during the last year, and must say that, every contract has been faithfully kept. We can cheerfully commend them to our editorial brethren everywhere; and business men who wish to advertise largely will find it to their advantage to make contracts with them.

Life Insurance Agents, if not so numerous as Colorado potato bugs, are almost as pestiferous. Beaver county has been full of them for the past week or two, and they hang to you with terrible tenacity if you once let them occupy your attention. Better tell them at once, and that too in a decidedly firm tone, that you intend living a long time, and that you purpose dying rich, and therefore need nothing in their line. To daily with them once is to be lost.

Our System of Practice.—The medical world has become divided into so many different cliques, isms and pathies, that our peculiar system of practice may need some explanation.

We treat all chronic diseases upon the most scientific principles of Uro-pathology and rational medicine.

Our remedies are principally vegetable, discarding the use of *Calomel or Mercury in any form*

Our mode of detecting diseases is by ocular, chemical and Microscopic examination of the urine. By these scientific investigations we are enabled to detect the most obscure diseases and to prescribe the remedies in accordance with the true nature of each particular case.

Therefore we invite all those laboring under lingering diseases, who have not been cured because perhaps their complaints were not properly understood, to send us a vial of urine for examination and have the necessary medicine sent them.

This can be sent by express (not by mail.) Our *practice in this way* extends all over the United States. Our charge for examinations and medicines furnished ranges from THREE TO TEN dollars.

Write plain and give *full name, age,* and residence of the *patient,* and the communication will be promptly attended to

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Bridgewater has chosen its public school teachers for the present school year. They are as follows: *Principal* Prof. Todd; *Assistants,* Miss Clara Donehoo and Miss Mary Leonard. These teachers have all had considerable experience and will render satisfaction to their present employers.

Mrs. Ella Clarke Reis, (a daughter of Cyrus Clarke, esq., of New Castle,) a graduate of the Beaver Female Seminary, and well-known to many of our citizens as a highly accomplished lady, died at New Castle on Tuesday of last week. She was in the 24th year of her age. A husband and child are left to mourn her loss.

The Wool business in Beaver is not particularly active at the present time. Buyers are a little cautious, and sellers are holding on for better figures. Messrs. Orr & Cooper have purchased, thus far, about 25,000 pounds. Besides these gentlemen, we hear of but one other firm in the county who are buying wool this season, viz, Messrs. Patton & Calvert of New Sheffield. As a general rule from forty-two to forty-five cents makes a swap for a pound of "sheep's clothing."

Beaver Seminary Improvements.—Prof. Scheibner seems to see the necessity of repairing and improving the Seminary building, and we have no doubt to judge from the appearances that the improvements will be such as to make the building attractive both outside and inside. The New chimneys with tops, the new roof, new out buildings, fences, etc., are signs that the institution will be permanent, and that no efforts will be spared under the present management to make the school a success.

According to Rowell's newspaper directory, the number of Methodist periodicals published in the United States is 71; Baptist, 18; Presbyterian, 8; Episcopal, 4; Congregational, 2; Universalist, 2; Unitarian, 1; Lutheran, 1; Roman Catholic, 1; Miscellaneous, 1; Total, 109.

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Wool—The New Clip and the Outlook.—The New York *Bulletin* of the 12th inst. says: The course of the wool market for the past few years has been such as to impress upon all classes of dealers in that staple the importance of their interests of more cautious operating, and of the utter avoidance of all speculation. The time is passed when the wool markets of this country can be easily controlled in the interests of speculators. The magnitude of our clip might interpose no serious obstacle, perhaps, as a concert of action between the growers and dealers—whose interests as against those of the manufacturers are identical—might easily be arranged. There is, however, in the foreign clip a lever with which the manufacturers can so far control the course of our market as to protect themselves from any combination seeking to effect anything more than a legitimate advance sympathizing with improved values abroad. Within the past few years American manufacturers have learned the value to them, of the power which they must control, and to wield it has become a matter of little difficulty in view of the growing closeness of our commercial relations with Europe. Experience thus far has proved that it is in the long run to the best interests of our manufacturers to avoid as far as possible, heavy operations on their own account, either in the wool producing markets of our own or other countries. If conducted independently of speculation, trade is more satisfactory when the supplies of manufacturers are drawn chiefly through the regular channels. To the few who are able to control for their full year's supply of domestic at the beginning of the season, buying direct from the farmer may be an advantage. But the purchases of manufacturers in the interior are almost invariably made as a higher figure than Eastern dealers can afford to pay, and a range of prices in the country based upon the figures paid by the consumers is always of disadvantage, and almost invariably a break has to follow before the wool moves freely into the Eastern markets, or the dealers here who purchased at the prices manufacturers can afford to pay have to suffer a loss before the stocks are worked up. The experiences of 1871 had the effect of keeping manufacturers at home last year, and as the rule, their purchases in the interior have been unimportant thus far this year. A few, chiefly the buyers of delaine wools, have gone into the country for their supplies, but the buyers for Eastern houses have not suffered much from competition with consumers, and although there has been an occasional reactionary feeling, the clips taken up have generally been at prices which dealers were willing to pay. Allowing for commission, interest, freight, shrinkage, etc., and ten cents per pound is only a fair margin between the purchasing price in the country and the selling rate here. This leaves the dealer barely a profit, and as 48@51c is the best range that can be quoted upon average clips in this market, it is evident that buyers cannot afford to pay more than 40c in the country for clips as they run. The range quoted upon actual sales in Ohio, and Michigan is 40@45c, with few transactions except of very choice lots above 42@43. Old X and XX Ohio fleeces are worth here to-day 50@52½c, and allowing these figures to be maintained upon the new wools when the supply of old has run out, there will be no more than a fair margin for dealers.

The course of the foreign markets for some time past has been in favor of buyers, and the outlook upon fine wools indicates that foreign supplies will be available at a price competing closely with our wools at the current figures. The supplies in our seaboard markets at present are pretty full, and the manufacturers, whose wants just now are not pressing, is in a position to act with considerable independence. Dealers cannot afford to risk large purchases except at perfectly safe prices, and the result must be a concession on the part of the farmer to meet the views of buyers, or a locking up of the bulk of the clip in the country. Our reports of the market for some time past have shown how slow was the movement from dealers' hands, but it will be seen by the annexed table of receipts since January 1st, that the arrivals have been more than sufficient to supply even an active demand.

RECEIPTS AT NEW YORK SINCE JANUARY 1 TO JULY 1.

Foreign	29,338	63,668
Domestic	39,034	18,101
Californian	9,960	9,107
Total	69,412	90,876

The new clip is likely to be fully up to the average amount, and there are abundant supplies of foreign easily available, so that the possibility of the cry of deficient stocks being again raised is precluded. Most of the foreign markets are easy, those on the continent being actually depressed. The telegrams from London auctions, which opened on Thursday, quote an advance of 1d upon Austrian combing, with clothing grades firm, and recent letters from leading dealers in London favor the idea of better prices. The markets for fabrics are in a healthy condition, as a rule, and stocks of raw materials in the United Kingdom are said to be sufficiently light to give dealers the advantage, at the moment, on clothing wools.

A Beaver county husband, one whose domestic infelicities have been quite stormy for a year or two past, hands us the following for publication in the ARGUS. It will be seen that while his language is vigorous, his metre is not of the very best quality:

You humorous widows lend an ear to my tale,
I took up with a Jade and her name it was Sal,
And she was always a scolding and brawling;
Pray what do you think of my darlin.

A small pension I get by the year,
Which caused my lady to drink whisky and beer,
Her tongue like a cannon doth ring in my ear,
Before its daylight in the morning:
Ju't she a fine darlin.

To kindle the fire it was my first job;
If I don't do it right I get a slap on the nob,
A kick or clout, or a curse from her gob;
O you may think I am blessed with my darlin.

Then out for the water the kettle to boil,
I wish I had been killed in the rank and file,
Before that I met with my darlin.
Then in for the leavings I chanced for to drop
While Sal and her gossip is gone to the shop.
Back biting her neighbors and taking a drop,
Hard fortune attend you, my darlin.

But now she's set sail trying her luck,
If she gets a good steersman with plenty of pluck
I wish them safe landed with a crew of but four:
I am sure he'll get knowledge, I will say no more.

The knowledge he'll get I will go his bail.
If he misses the landing the captain and
Crew will land him in jail. C. O. D

Mr. David Marquis, of New Brighton, called upon us last Thursday and renewed his subscription to the ARGUS which he has taken ever since it issued its first number in 1818. Not long since we published a notice stating that Mr. Karns, of this county, was the oldest married man now living in the county; but after having a conversation with Mr. M. and inquiring into his matrimonial connections we find that he takes the lead. In 1813 Mr. M. came to this town, and in December 8th, 1814 he was married and resided here until 1842, at which time he removed to New Brighton where he has resided ever since. He is now in his eighty-second year, and looks hale and vigorous; and from present appearance looks as if he might last for a number of years yet, and we hope he will. It is gratifying and encouraging to take these octogenarians by the hand and have their proval of our editorial efforts as a pubgood wishes in our efforts to cater to the newspaper wants of the community.

A Horse Killed by Bees.—Mr. David Wiley, of South Strabane township, lost a valuable mare on Monday last, from the sting of bees. The animal had been ridden to this borough, and to get her out of the way of the crowds attending Howe's great circus, she was taken into the stable yard of Mr. Geo. F. McCombs. Mr. McCombs is somewhat of a bee fancier, and has two of Longstreth's palaces, occupied by bees in the yard. The mare was hitched near these, and it is supposed that she rubbed against them or in some other manner disturbed the bees. When Mr. McCombs went to his dinner he was notified by Mrs. Miller that the bees were killing a horse in his yard. Repairing at once to the spot, he found the poor beast standing perfectly quiet with his head nearly on the ground, and literally covered with bees. The poor brute was hitched with a strong bridle strap, which in her frantic efforts she had been unable to break, but had drawn very tight. Mr. McCombs, after some effort, succeeded in getting the strap loose, and led the mare a few paces away. She then stood still for a few moments, probably not realizing that she was at liberty, but soon after started off at a fearful pace, still covered with the bees. She was finally got into a lot belonging to Mr. Morgan, and efforts were made to doctor her, but she died in a few hours. Four on the opposite side of the fence were also stung by the bees, and fore away from their hitchings. One was attached to a carriage, and this was considerably broken. Mr. McCombs was badly stung about the head, but was saved from severe suffering by the prompt application of soda. Some of his children were also stung by the bees, and for a time the greatest consternation prevailed about the premises. The bees appeared to be greatly demoralized afterwards, and it is a question whether they will do much good for some time.—*Washington Reporter.*

The full list of delegates to the Republican State Convention from Beaver, Washington and Butler counties is as follows: Senatorial, W. S. Shallenberger, of Beaver; Representative, Messrs. Greer and Garvin, of Butler; I. D. V. Hazzard, of Washington; D. Critchlow, of Beaver.

Mr. John Chrisler, of Shippingport, this county, died at his residence in that village on last Sabbath one week ago. Mr. C. was one of the oldest men in Beaver county, a highly respected citizen, and one who by industry and frugality had accumulated quite a fortune during his lifetime.

Postage.—A new mail route was recently established and went into effect on the 1st inst., between Clarkson, in Columbiana county, and Darlington, Beaver county, Pa. It is intended to give service to the Achor, Elder's Mills and Cannelton offices. The Achor post-office has been re-established, but no post master has yet been appointed.

The Beaver Falls cotton works employ 600 hands and produce 20,000 yards per day.—*Pitts. Com. July 19.*

This is news to us. If Beaver Falls has a "cotton works" which employs "600 hands and produces 20,000 yards per day," we have never heard of it before. To make a long story short, no such works exist. Somebody has been imposing upon the *Commercial.*

Mr. W. I. Reed, is authorized to collect accounts due this office. He is now calling upon our patrons in the various towns in this vicinity, and it is to be hoped that those whom he calls upon will find it convenient to liquidate their indebtedness.

An exchange remarks: "Our young ladies are never behind the fashion, but the fashions at present are very much behind the young ladies, although they do bump up awfully to keep ahead."

One of the famous divorce lawyers of New York, in his advertisement in the city papers says: "Hymenial incompatibilities as a specialty delicately adjusted. 'Tis slavery to detain the hand after the heart hath fled."

Henry C. Conn, residing near Enon Valley, Pa., appeared before Judge Wiselen a few days since, and asked for the custody of two small children which he alleged were somewhere in this county, in the possession of his wife, who had left his bed and board a few days previous. The judge issued the necessary writ, and on Friday last the parties appeared in court, and each told a sorrowful tale of domestic infelicity. The plaintiff was represented by Harvey Morrison, esq., and the defendant by W. J. Jordan. After hearing the testimony, and the arguments of counsel, Judge Wiselen decided to leave the children with their mother.—*Buckeye State.*

Attempt to Break Jail.—Willis Oyler—the thief—an account of whose operations in Rochester while Barnum's show was there, we gave in last week's ARGUS, and whose incarceration in our jail, we also chronicled at that time, attempted to bring about his freedom the second time, on last Saturday evening by digging his way out of prison. He was detected by the sheriff before he attained his purpose. He operated with a stove latch which came, somehow or other, into his possession.

This Oyler, is the one-legged youngster, who, a few years ago, traveled on the cars between New Castle and Pittsburgh, soliciting money from the public to aid him in getting a wooden leg. Personally, we have several interests in that leg, but to this day we believe Oyler has never bought it. That he is a rascal of some year's standing is quite clear.

LATER. At about noon on Monday he did succeed in getting out of jail and hiding in a coal house near by. He was captured however, soon after, and is now hand-cuffed.

Mail Service.—There are in the United States 63,514 miles of railway mail service, that being an increase of 5,603 miles since the same period last year. Massachusetts is the only New England State in which there are 1,000 miles of mail railway service, that State having nearly 1,700 miles. Delaware has 248 miles, while of the other Middle States, New York has 4,726, New Jersey, 1,184, and Pennsylvania 3,670 miles. Of the Southern States, Arkansas, Florida, and West Virginia have less than 5,000, while in the others there are from 1,000 to 2,000 miles. Illinois has the largest railway mail service, 6,226 miles; Ohio next 4,877; New York third, Pennsylvania fourth, and Missouri fifth. In the latter State there are 3,340 miles.

James Alexander Mowatt, esq., who, for upwards of twenty years was connected with the press of Great Britain and Ireland, and popularly known as one of the most eloquent, forcible and logical lecturers of the United Kingdom, and one of the most zealous advocates of prohibition in that country, will address the people of Rochester and vicinity, on Tuesday evening, 29th inst., at half past seven o'clock, in the M. E. Church of Rochester, upon the subject of Local Prohibition and the various phases of the temperance question, as now presented to the people. Turn out, friends, and hear plain truths! It will cost you nothing.

A spark falling on the roof of Mr. Robert

SELECT POETRY.

MY OLD MAN.

BY BRITOMARTE.

Ah, well I know his brow is wrinkled!
Well I know his locks are gray,
Well I know his feet are passing
Swiftly down the sunset way,
And his manly strength and vigor
Long ago have passed away.
But his heart beats just as warm'y
As upon our wedding day.
He is walking towards the river,
Whose dark tide no bridge can span,
And the self same path I'm treading,
By the side of my old man.

My old man is good and loving,
My old man is tried and true;
Side by side, in grief and gladness,
We have walked life's pathway through.
My old man and I remember
When we were not all alone;
Many blossoms we have cherished,
But they faded one by one.
One by one they crossed the river,
Whose dark tide no bridge can span,
And we sit beside the hearthstone,
Only me and my old man.

First our little Charlie left us,
In his childhood's sunny bloom;
O, our hearts were wild with sorrow,
When we laid him in the tomb,
But another quickly followed—
Gentle Mary; child of love,
And the angels bore her softly
To her fitted home above.
And, all too soon, the weeping willow
O'er the grave of blue eyed Nan,
Marked the spot where slept our darling,
Pride and pet of my old man.

So 'twas one by one our darlings
Entered at the golden gate;
We are waiting for the summons,
And we have not long to wait.
My old man is daily drawing
Nearer to the shining strands,
And beside him I am keeping,
For we journey hand in hand,
And beyond the stormy river,
Whose dark tide no bridge can span,
Peaceful rest and life immortal
Wait for me and my old man.

SELECT MISCELLANY

WHO MURDERED HIM.

BY OLIVE BELL.

"I wish they would come," sighed Effie Wier, half pettishly, as she stood at the parlor window, gazing down the moon-lit walks wistfully.

"Who?" inquired Laura Dolancy, a lusky-eyed southern beauty who was visiting the Wiers, and who couched down before the glowing grate, half-shivering, as the chill November twilight faded away before the bright, piercing moonlight that flooded the grand old rooms, which was always cold to the warmth-loving Laura.

"Why Cousin Tom Wier, and—and Dr. Greyson," blushingly replied Effie, pressing her rosy cheeks closer to the window pane.

"Are they coming together?"

"Yes; that is what I like about it. Don't you remember how pleasant it was when they always came out to spend the summer evenings playing croquet, and having such fun; but that was before they had that hateful quarrel."

"How did that quarrel originate? I believe I have forgotten," Laura said, dropping her long lashes over her black eyes.

"If you have you must have a very poor memory," Effie replied, pertly; who did not more than half like this Miss Delancy. "It's only three months ago, and everybody in the country was talking about it. Tom and Dr. Greyson got excited about politics. Tom called the doctor a traitor and the doctor 'floored' Tom, as the men say, and swore he would shoot him if ever he repeated the offense. There was a suit for assault and battery, and before the suit came off Tom's party had won the day; and that ended the quarrel and the campaign. If presidents' elections only came once in twenty years it would be a blessing for the people."

"People should never allow their temper to overcome their judgment in such matters," said the smooth, melodious voice of Annie Wier, who sat in a dusky corner of the room.

"O, you're there are you?" Effie replied, laughingly, waltzing up to her elder sister's side and then back to her perch on the window-sill. "I declare Annis, you're one of the greatest mopes living. You scarcely ever speak, unless you say something nobody wants to hear. You are surely not angry at Tom now?"

"No, I am not angry," said the low, sweet voice, a faint blush creeping into the pale cheeks. Annis was always pale, quiet and thoughtful beyond her years—a perfect contrast to her rosy, dimpled younger sister.

"But you were," persisted Effie, while Laura added, under her breath, "I wish you were as mad as a March hare; it would help me to captivate him," and closing her black eyes with an angry snap, to shut out Annis Wier's noble face, the passionate southerner fell to dreaming of the tall, cool-blooded Tom Wier, who had bravely withstood her blandisments. A tempest of longing, doubt and fear was raging in her heart, but her face was as immotional as that of the dead.

Neither did she show it when a voice in the hall made all her pulses quiver, and gave a hand cold as marble to the taller of the two gentleman that came in, and when Effie called "Cousin Tom." He glanced carelessly at the brilliantly, elegantly-dressed woman, whose languor had vanished at his appearance, and who greeted him with more tenderness of look and tone than he thought strictly necessary, and then went over to the quiet figure in the corner, who looked up into his eyes with a glance that revealed the secret Annis would soon put into words. He stood a few moments by her side, but Annis did not seem inclined to talk, and Tom, who understood her moods perfectly, felt that she wished to be let alone, and joined the group, Dr. Greyson, Effie and Miss Delancy, who had gathered around the piano.

Effie's cheeks were crimson, and her blue eyes shone like stars as the young doctor's earnest eyes studied her face and bent his head so low over her music that his light bright brown hair often mingled with her curls. Laura was sparkling, gay, witty and a little inclined to be sarcastic, until Tom left Annis and stood by her side.

They were all so joyous, and Tom and the doctor got along so amicably together, that Annis thought all pickerings between the gentlemen were at an end. It was mainly through her influence that the reconciliation had been effected. When the political excitement was at its height, and rumors of the hostility between Tom and Dr. Greyson—two of the most prominent and able speakers of contending parties, reached her ears, she had rebuked her cousin severely for insulting a man who had, until then, been his best friend. "What do you know about politics?" he said to Annis, who replied sternly "That she knew how to hold her tongue." But the campaign was over. Tom had graciously begged Dr. Greyson's pardon for calling him a "traitor," and Annis had promised to give him her answer to a certain question on this particular, and ever after memorable evening.

The music went on and Laura Delafiey's cheeks grew as red as peonys, and her laugh was the loudest in the room, as she flirted with Tom Wier, who seemed in unusually gay spirits.

"Sing 'Marylandi,'" laughed Miss Delancy, "It's a pet of Dr. Greyson's.

"Dr. Greyson's face flushed angrily as he turned away from the piano and looked suspiciciously at Tom, who he suspected of being the instigator of the request. But Tom's face was perfectly impassive as he declined to sing, and rather suddenly announced his intention of going back to the village.

"I shall go across the fields doctor," he said to greyson. "If you choose you can follow me."

"I'll follow you," Greyson answered, little thinking how soon the simple words would be brought up against him. His face wore a disturbed expression as he stood with his back to the glowing grate and watched Tom go out, followed by Annis. All the life, the geniality and enjoyment of the party had been destroyed by Miss Delancy's thoughtless, or malicious words. She felt wickedly angry at Tom, at herself, and especially; who, she felt, was a rival to be dreaded. She had determined to win the able young lawyer before going back to her city home, and to be supplanted by an innocent, plain-faced country girl was more than she could bear. Muttering something about the intolerable heat of the room, she opened a low French window that led to a side balcony, and stepped out. The clear moonlight lit up her angry face with a vivid glare as she glided along the balcony, and leaning against a pillar of the front piazza, where Tom and Annie were standing. Laura kept well in the shadow of the vines, and Tom had no suspicion that the object of his remarks heard every word he uttered, when he spoke to Annis.

"Why don't you send that she-devil home, Annie?"

"Hush!" Annie said, in a whisper, "She might hear."

"Nothing unlikely. Eaves-dropping would just suit her. To speak plainly, Annis, that girl is capable of any meanness, if not something worse. I would not have hurt Greyson's feelings for the world. He has suffered enough at my hands already."

"He may not be offended at you, but I doubt it. I'm glad you declined to sing."

"But, Annis," Tom said, drawing her closer to him, "I must have my answer. Yes or no, Annis?"

"Yes," Annis said, so quietly that Tom wondered if she really loved him. She was so calm and passionless that he doubted the strength of her affection. What she said and did after that was known only to Miss Delancy, who was an unseen eye-witness of the scene, and whose brain seemed on fire, when Tom, who had taken his last kiss, and reached the garden gate, came back and taking Annis in his arms, held her there a moment, and kissed the sweet pale face repeatedly.

"Annis, my darling; it seems as if I was never to see you again."

"Nonsense!" Annis laughed, "you'll be back to-morrow night."

"If I live," Tom said as he started again, and looking back once, as he reached the by-path that led to the pretty village of Wierville, he saw Annis watching him; and kissing his hand to her, was off at a swinging pace down the moonlit meadow.

Annis glanced into the parlor as she went through the hall, but not seeing Laura there, supposed she had retired. Effie and Dr. Greyson were laughing merrily at some witty saying of the former, and Annis noticed that the doctor was drawing on his gloves, and naturally supposed his good humor had been restored by Effie's witchery, and that he was in a hurry to catch up with Tom. Her last thought as she fell asleep that night was of her lover-cousin, and Effie, who roomed with her elder sister, wondered what made Annis talk so much in her sleep about a wedding that was to come off.

"I'll bet Tom's going to marry her—the great, big darling that he is," chuckled Effie. "She's so awful quiet nobody will know it until she's ready to stand up with him."

And Effie fell asleep, to be awakened the next morning by Annis shaking her fiercely.

"Get up," she cried, her face bleached with terror, "Set up, Tom has been murdered.

"Murdered," shrieked Effie, as Laura Delancy burst into the room her face as white as the dead, and an awful horror in her big black eyes.

"O, its awful! terrible!" she gasped sinking into a chair, "To think that *he* could do such a thing."

"He! whom?" whispered Effie, hurriedly dressing herself. And then suddenly remembering Dr. Greyson's threat, she threw herself at Annis' feet, crying in a broken-hearted way.

"Annis—oh Annis, they don't say it was *him*."

"Effie, my child, they found his revolver not a yard from the corpse." Annis said, wearily putting her hand up to her brow. She was quiet and tearless, and had listend to the dreadful news in a strange, apathetic way. That morning a day laborer from the village had crossed the fields in the direction of the Wier mansion, and had been started almost out of his senses at finding the young lawyer—Tom Wier—lying face downward in the meadow-grass. He raised up the head and found the face bathed in the blood that had flowed from a bullet-wound in the temple. With a cry of terror he dropped the pulseless head, and roused the inmates of the Wier mansion with the dreadful news. Annis never uttered a moan, although her heart seemed ready to burst.

"Bring him here," she said, quietly as the man stood waiting for orders. For Tom was an orphan, and had boarded in the village, where he practiced law in an adjacent city, to be near Annis and Effie, who had been very lonely since the death of their parents. He had been brother, friend, counsellor, and now he was dead, murdered, and Dr. Greyson's pistol had been found near the remains. The last scrap of news was brought by a horrified servant, while Annis was still standing in the hall, gazing blindly at the little knot of men who were hurrying across the field, then she rushed up stairs, and broke the news to Effie and Laura. Her excitement went as quickly as it came, at sight of Effie's grief, who mourned more for the suspected guilt of the living lover than for the sudden death of the beloved dead.

"I won't believe it—I can't," she sobbed. "Dr. Greyson wouldn't kill a worm."

"He threatened to kill poor Tom," Miss Delancy said, holding her handkerchief to her face.

"*You* hold your tongue—you—you serpent." Effie cried, her cheeks crimson with anger. "You did your best to stir up a quarrel last night, didn't you?" Annis said "hush, Effie dear," in a husky whisper, and Miss Delancy left the room with a strange startled look on her face.

Tom's remains were soon carried into the room he had left in such robust health and high spirits, but the evening before. Effie cried herself sick, Miss Delancy kept her room, and Annis walked about the house with a look on her face that awed every beholder. She did not murmur, or moan, or complain, but said, in a way that was more sorrowful than tears: "It was God's will whatever He did was right." She did not believe Dr. Greyson guilty; for although a man of strong passions, and excitable and sensitive, she had never knew him to do a guilty or vicious act since he came to Wierville, five years before. Tom and him had been on the most friendly terms for the past few weeks, and in fact Annis knew they were both ashamed of the hot-headed political zeal that had kept them at variance for a few months. But Annis Wier's belief in the doctor's innocence did not prevent his arrest. He was thrown into prison to await his examination, too horified to offer any objection, if indeed any would have been heard.

Tom was buried. Annis stood at his grave, more desolate, and heart-broken than many a widowed wife; and Effie's young heart was rung with terrible sorrow, when Dr. Greyson's hearing was over, and he had been pronounced "guilty," and remanded to jail, to await his trial. Annis, Miss Delancy, and Effie had testified that the two gentlemen had spent the evening in their company; and also the fact that the doctor had left a few moments after Tom. The revolver, identified as Dr. Greyson's, had his name engraved on the barrel, and this, together with a mass of evidence relative to their political quarrels, and Dr. Greyson's threats, left no doubt in the minds of the jury, or an excited public, that Dr. Greyson was the murderer. The young lawyer had many influential friends, who were determined to bring his murderer to justice, and Dr. Greyson felt his heart sink with helpless terror when he heard the formidable array of witnesses give in their testimony.

When Effie came to visit him in his cell, he had laid his hand on hers and said:

"Effie, do you think I could touch your hand, or look into your eyes, if I had murdered your cousin?"

"No—oh—no," Effie sobbed, "You never did it."

"No, Effie!" he replied solemnly, "as God is my judge, I never did; and when, in the heat of argument, I swore to shoot him. He knows I had no murderous thoughts in my heart."

"I do not see how you missed seeing his murderer," Effie went on. "for you left me not half an hour after Tom. Or how did your revolver happen to be used!"

"That is what puzzles me. I, lost the pistol about a month ago and whoever found it and used it must have had a grudge of some kind against me. As for seeing his murderer, I might easily miss that, for just where he lay the path br nches out in several directions. He must have taken one and I the other, for if we both had followed the same path, I would have found him. Hawthorne bushes are plenty, just there, and his murderer might easily have screened himself behind one of them until I was out of sight. I could swear I saw no one, although the moonlight made the meadows as clear as day."

"And that is all you know—everything?"

"That is all I know, Effie, though the evidence is enough to hang me. If God does not clear me of the charge no one else can."

And there the matter rested. Dr. Greyson resigned himself to his prison life—read the accounts of his cold-blooded butchery, and heard his once fair name maligned in every conceivable way, and often wondered if he really was such a sinner. He had few relatives, and those in a distant State, therefore no one had to bear the shame, the scandal, and the sorrow, but himself, and the blue-eyed Effie Wier, who constituted herself as his fearless champion.

Miss Dalancy went home immediately after the examination. Effie took no pains to conceal her dislike, and Annis was coldly polite. She grew thin, and there were blue circles under the black eyes when she left, as if her nights had been sleepless, and a nervousness in her manner her friends had never noticed before. "I am going to be very ill," she said to Annis at parting, "and if I die, my friends will let you know." But it was weeks before Miss Delancy was heard from, and then the news came that she was dead, and with the message came a little, wiry, sharp-eyed man who said he was Miss. Delancy's lawyer.

"You see," he said to Annis Wier, "Miss Laura came home very ill. She had been a great favorite in Memphis, and all her old friends called on her, but she refused to see any of them. She had resided with a widowed sister since her parents' deaths and she finally grew so "flighty" in her illness that no one could see her but her sister and physician. Belle—that's the sister—told me in confidence that she raved continually about Tom and Annis, and somebody that was to be hanged in her stead. At last she came back to reason, with death staring her in the face. She sent for me. They had propped her up in the bed, and she looked so much like a corpse that I actually shivered."

"Mr. Rea," she said, in a weak voice—but stronger than I expected to hear out of such a weak shadow—"I want you to write down what I am going to say, and forward it to the North. Belle and Dr. Walton will witness the document."

I pulled out writing materials, and sat down, pen in hand, but what I heard nearly palsied my fingers.

"I am dying. Last November, I was visiting the Wiers, at Wierville. Annis and I had been schoolmates, and I loved her dearly, until I fell in love with her cousin Tom, and on the night of the 20th, Tom and a friend of his, spent the evening with us. I was jealous of Annis and I followed them out. I overheard Tom call me a "she-devil" and that put more evil spirits in me, than ever possessed Mary Magdalen. I heard Annis and him make arrangements for their marriage, and my brain began to swim, as if I was going to faint. I felt as if I must kill somebody. I have often wondered since, that I did not kill Annis. I had Dr. Greyson's pistol hid away in an old-fashioned book-case in the library, having found it one day, and never mentioned the fact to the Wier girls.

"I stole in and got it. Tom was not twenty yards away when I was after him, and when he reached the loneliest part of the road, the devil—for God surely had no hand in it—helped to take steady aim at his head. I fired, and he fell dead.

She paused, evidently exhausted. Belle gave a cry of terror, and my hair stood on end with amazement. To think of a young, delicately-nurtured girl, like Laura Delancy, shooting a man in cold blood! Pah! It was appalling.

"Nobody saw me—not a soul heard the shot, although as I ran back to the house, I saw Dr. Greyson coming down the garden walk," Laura went on, a ghastly smile on her deathly face. "Why they even arrested Dr. Greyson, and will hang him for it if you don't hurry and tell them I did it."

I was afraid her reason was going again, and had the paper properly signed and witnessed as fast as possible. She grew very wild and delirious after it was over. She would throw up her hands and cry out, sometimes.

"Take them away; don't they see I am dying? Hurry, or they'll have me handcuffed!"

"And once she cried, Tom, Tom, come back! Take me; I love you better than Annis? and shortly after she died, crying piteously for God to keep her out of the bottomless pit. I tell you, Miss Wier, it was dreadful to hear."

The old lawyer wiped his moist brow and gave Annis a package of papers.

"That will clear Dr. Greyson, my dear young lady, and the sooner it is done the better." Before nightfall Dr. Greyson was a free man. Great was the astonishment of the good people of Wierville when they heard that Miss Delancy, the southern belle, had murdered Tom Wier. What she did it for was a mystery to all but Annis, Effie and Dr. Greyson. And when the snow was white on poor Tom's grave the doctor and Effie were quietly married, and Annis, the angel of their household, is waiting patiently for the re-union beyond the grave.

Pittsburgh, June 15, 1873.

Good Manners.

Young folks should be mannerly. How to be so is the question? Many good girls and boys feel that they can't behave themselves in the presence of company. They feel timid, bashful and self-distrustful the moment they are addressed by a stranger or appear in company! There is but one way to get over this feeling and to acquire easy and graceful manners; that is, to do the best they can all the time, at home as well as abroad. Good manners are not to be learned by arbitrary teaching so much as acquired by habit. They grow upon us by use. We must be courteous, agreeable, civil, kind, gentlemanly and womanly at home, and then it will become a kind of second nature to be so everywhere. A coarse, rough manner at home begets a habit of roughness, when we go among strangers. The most agreeable people we have ever known in company are those who are perfectly agreeable at home. Home is the school for all good things especially for good manners.

HEAVY BOND ROBBERY.

$200,000 Worth of Bonds Stolen in Brooklyn.

The particulars of a successful burglary at the office of Brooklyn lawyers, and the theft of $200,000 worth of bonds were learned by reporters yesterday, notwithstanding the endeavors of the police to keep the matter quiet, when they had failed to make any arrests.

It appears that the office of John Z. and Abraham Lott, attorneys and counsellors at law, at No. 13 Willoughby street, about two blocks from police headquarters, was broken into between Saturday evening and Monday morning, the safe opened by skeleton keys, and bonds on the Susquehanna Lath, Shingle, and Steam Lumber Drying Company—no market value; two checks representing $30,000; three United States coupon 5-20 bonds; and 50 bonds of mortgages upon Brooklyn and Flatbuse property, stolen. The bonds are all recorded in the Register's office, and consequently worthless to the thieves, as payment of the checks was promptly stopped. Altogether, the stolen papers represent about $200,000, and it is believed that the object of the robbery was to hold the bonds until a reward is offered for their return. Mr. John Z. Lott states that when he entered the office on Mondoy morning he found the safe door unlocked. He pulled the door open, and a mass of papers fell out upon the floor, and from the appearance of things it was evident that the thieves had become alarmed and decamped hastily. The interest upon the bonds is always payable at the office of the firm, and the bonds are usually left there by clients during the months of May and June for the purpose of having the interest collected on them. It will be a week before the firm can tell exactly what has been taken, as there were a thousand or more papers piled up in the safe. E. G. Davenport, a clerk, states that Policeman Howard, of the First precinct, told him that at 10 o'clock on Sunday morning he saw a man open the office door, put his head out, look around, and then draw it in again. He thought it was a party living up stairs, and paid no particular attention to him. The policeman was questioned, and denied having made such a statement. The case has been placed in the hands of a detective of the First precinct. —*Tribune.*

$200,000.00.

An Old Colored Woman in Oil City Lays Claim to a Virginia Estate—A Chance for the Lawyers.

An old colored woman up in Oil city lays claim to $200,000,00 in the state of Virginia. Her story is, that she, with the other legatees, some two hundred in number, were the slaves of John Fox, of Fauquier county, Virginia. Fox was a bachelor, and died seized of a very valuable estate, and large personal property aside from the slaves. The property is situate on the banks of the north branch of the Rappahannock river, about ten miles north of Bealton station, on the Orange and Alexandria railroad. Fox died in 1858 or 1859, leaving a will which bears date November 15, 1839. This will was regularly admitted to probate and attested as Fox's last will in the circuit court of Fauquier county, April 5, 1859. Elizabeth P. Blackwell, sister of the testator, who had been named in the will as sole executrix of it, after securing the probate, refused to act under the will, probably for the reason that she was not a beneficiare under it. Therefore the same court subsequently granted letters of administration to John P. Phillips and Charles P. Chilton, and accepted their sureties in the sum of $300,000.

According to the will, a certified copy of which Mrs. Brown has, the slaves were all to be set free, sent to Ohio and provided with homes out of the proceeds of the sale of the estate. The will, however, was kept quiet, and the slaves held by the trustees until the war came, when they were made free by the emancipation proclamation. After the war the most of the people left the plantation and were scattered through the country. Some of them live in Oil city, some in Corry, some in Washington, and about fifty or sixty remain on the plantation, and they wouldn't stay if they could get enough of their own money to take them elsewhere.

The estate passed through the hands of several trustees, each one of whom became rich, until it finally came under control of the ex-rebel General John S. Mosby and a lawyer named James, who still holds it. The heirs in the estate were told, it is said, by these trustees, that $10,000 was due and would be distributed as soon as they (the heirs) would sign an agreement to leave the estate to be managed by the trustees. The agreement was signed, but the money never came.

Mrs. Brown was lately called to the plantation to visit her sister, who was ill, and while there showed a copy of the will to Mosby and James and told them she would press the case. They threatened her, and finally offered to compromise by paying a small sum, but she refused. Upon her return to Oil city she told the story, and is now anxious for some sharp lawyer to undertake the case and make a fat fee.

There is a chance for some of our disciples of Blackstone to make fame and fortune.

—At Corry Barnum's show was the great attraction on the Fourth, and vast crowds of people congregated in the city. The *Derrick* gives an account of a horrible outrage perpetrated upon a young girl by six men connected with the show. Among the attendants at the afternoon performance were a young girl of sixteen and her little brother, a boy of about ten, children of respectable parents residing on the outskirts of the city. On their way home they were joined by two young men one of whom began talking to the girl, while the other diverted the attention of her brother. In this way they soon became separated, when the first villain suddenly threw the girl off the sidewalk, put his hand over her mouth and dragged her into the bushes. He was quickly joined by several companions, with whose assistance the poor victim was speedily gagged. Six of the infernal monsters then ravished her in turn, leaving her in a fearful condition, wholly unable to give any alarm or help herself in the least. Meanwhile the little fellow had gone home, when his mother inquired respecting her daughter. The boy told how the strangers had been talking, and that he did not know where she was. An alarm was instantly given, and a number of persons started to search for the missing girl. For a long time their efforts were unavailing, but at lenght she was discovered after dark in the state mentioned. She was nearly dead and almost insensible, torn and bleeding, and most of her clothing stripped off. Tender hands bore her home, and medical aid was speedily summoned. The next day the girl was able to go to Titusville, and with ex-Chief of Police Furlong, of Oil City, and Officer Evans visited the show and succeeded in recognizing three of the fiends who had participated in the outrage, who were arrested and taken back to Corry. A disposition was manifested at Corry to lynch the prisoners, but after a hearing, for some unaccountable reason they were permitted to leave. It is intimated that they bribed the officials.

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